

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
Salil PRADHAN et al :
Serial No. n/a : Group Art Unit:
Filed: Herewith : Examiner:
For: INFORMATION ACQUISITION DECISION MAKING BY DEVICES IN
A WIRELESS NETWORK

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the
referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 31 and 36 as follows:

31. (amended) A mobile telecommunications device having
both a long range telecommunications transmitter and receiver, and
a piconet telecommunications transmitter and receiver, a control
processor, and a memory storage medium; wherein the memory storage
medium contains an advertisement to be transmitted via the piconet
transmitter, the control processor being adapted to broadcast the
advertisement over the piconet transmitter and being adapted to
monitor piconet signals that are received by the piconet receiver
for a reply.